

NOTE: Your name and views are kept confidential and will not be passed on to other parties. Only place names, ecological information and numerical data generated from questionnaires will be publicised.

Name of participant:

Contact phone number or e-mail address:

Date:

Eelers

1. Which rivers have you observed eelers run?

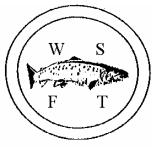
2. Have the amount of eelers changed over the years? Please tick a box.

Large increase	Increase	No trend	Same	Decrease	Large decrease
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Over how many years do you base this on?

If there has been a change what do you attribute this to?





3. Have there been notably high or low Elver years? Insert years.

High									
Low									

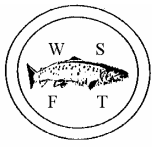
If so what do you attribute this to?

4. Which months, tides, moon phase and time of day have you seen elvers run (just be as precise as possible or if variable explain)?

5. Which rivers have been fished for Elvers (which years)?

6. Do you rely on elvers for an income?





Yellow/Silver eels

1. Where and when have yellow or silver eels been caught (approximate sizes or weights if possible)?
2. In which rivers and which time of the year have you seen a migration of silver eels back to the sea?

3. Have yellow/silver eel numbers in rivers and lochs changed over the years?

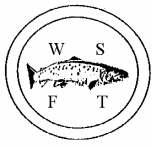
Large increase	Increase	No trend	Same	Decrease	Large decrease

Please state over how many years you make this judgement.

If so what do you attribute this to?

4. Do you consider eels to have an impact on rivers? Please elaborate.





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EEL

Please add additional information here:

